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SUBJ: GOK DEP PRI MIN/FON MIN ACKNOWLEDGES CONGRATULATIONS

FROM SECRETARY AND ASST. SECY ATHERTON

REF: (A) STATE 42638, (B) STATE 43349,

1. BY DIPLOMATIC NOTE DATED MARCH 26 GOK FOREIGN MINISTRY HAS ASKED THAT MESSAGES FROM DEP PRI MIN/FON MIN SHEIKH SABAH AL-AHMAD BE CONVEYED TO SECRETARY VANCE AND ASST. SECY ATHERTON. TEXT OF LETTERS, IDENTICAL FOR BOTH, INFORMALLY TRANSLATED BY EMBASSY, FOLLOWS:

2. QUOTE: I HAVE RECEIVED WITH DEEP APPRECIATION YOUR KIND MESSAGE EXPRESSING THE MOST SINCERE SENTIMENTS ON THE OCCASION OF MY REAPPOINTMENT. I TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO EXPRESS TO YOUR EXCELLENCY MY WISHES FOR YOU HEALTH AND HAPPINESS, AND FOR YOUR FRIENDLY PEOPLE PROGRESS AND PROSPERITY. I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE FIRM AND CLOSE RELATIONS BETWEEN OUR TWO FRIENDLY COUNTRIES, BASED ON JOINT COOPERATION AND MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING, WILL CONTINUE TO DEVELOP ON THE BASIS OF THE PRINCIPLES OF EQUALLY AND RESPECT FOR SOVEREIGNTY. (COMPLIMENTARY CLOSE). END QUOTE.

3. LETTERS, WITH TRANSLATIONS, WILL BE FORWARDED BY POUCH.
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